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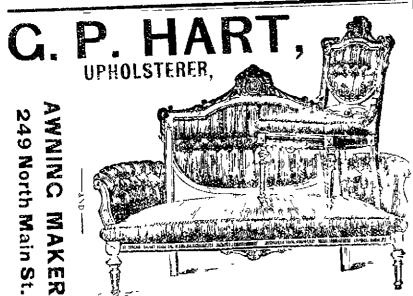
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Gordon accused me of boing to literal He asked me, in a letter to me when he found that my conduct H Africa had been the subject of Parlia mentary debate, why I was foolish enough to say anything about it, and if I had been compelled to fight. If I had not said so, no one could have charged me with having been violent toward the natives but General Gordon, and other people who blamed me for my candor forget that it was a news, paper enterprise of the Herald and Telegraph which sent me there, and therefore I was bound to be as literal and as faithful as though I had no concern with these events. In the same way I have endeavored to be just as mentary debate, why I was foolish way I have endeavored to be just as candid and literal in my descriptions of African climate, scenery, manners and customs as though I had no con cern whatever in Africa, for I have told you in my preface bluntly that it is immaterial to me whether you do anything to Africa or not. My dut anything to Africa or not. My duty lies in giving you a faithfuldescription of what I see Hence I think they are unjust who charge me with evaggerating I have a fond feeling for Africa It; is true I like Africa. I think Africa capable of what I say it is but I say there is a way of producing that capability to its fullestix tout without endangering your own lite and I give you certain ideas as to how you should endeavor to conform yourself under the new regime is quired by a tropical climate.

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I have no further interest in it No-After unless the spirit moves him There are fields as open in Africa for Americans, if they are enterprising enough and have the proper commetoral spirit, as there are in China or any other part of the world. I have discovered a field where the white men. covered a field where the white men a cuttrprise can do a great deal of good, not only to themselves, but to the natures. That is really the raison detre of all I have said. I have tried to open this new field for the world's cuttiplise. At the same time I beg to say that it is perfectly immaterial to me whether they do it, because there are no less to me or to any of the officers. is no loss to me or to any of the officers of the Congo State who have nothing at all to do there except to do then duty, get then pay, and come home and by keyer.

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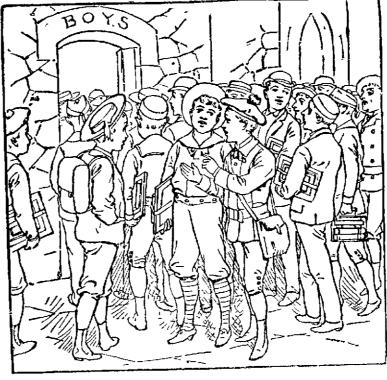
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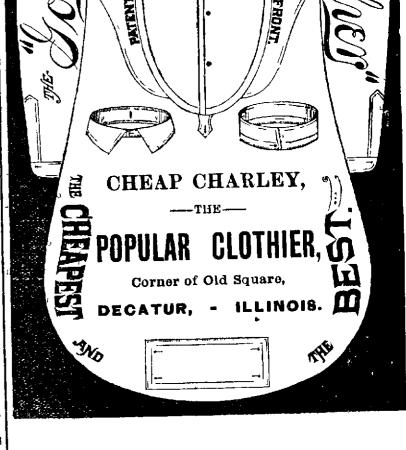
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cory for said court on Saturday, the 10th Day of October, A D 158, at the hour of 2 o'clock p m of said day shall sell at public auction, to the bight at bidder, for each at the west door of the court house, in Decatur in said county, the following described real estate shuate in the county of Macon and State of Illinols, to wit Lote one (1) and two (2) in block No four (4) in B H cassell's the addition to the city of Decatur Included with the real estate above described and in the building on said premises are 5 rublier botton of the city of Decatur Included with the real estate above described and in the building on said premises are 5 rublier botton sharing or pulleys, two steam vuts with attached piping, two large Davis and Rankin recoving churs, two large Davis and Rankin vats one Mason's power butter worker, and one Hawkeye butter worker, one zine et a soil on piping connected with said butter workers and vats a lot of from piping for steam heating one No 33 Ottumwa steam engine and boiler for same, and attachments, and a lot of shafting pulleys and beiting connected therewith Said articles are in lu led with real state here offered for said, together with all and singular the tenemous and here different is the said preint is a will be soid auf jeet to re icoption.

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This lith day of September, A D 1885 w W FOST kit septi"-ddw Sheriff Macon Co, Illinois

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of one execution on transcript from 1 P's docked to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, illimits, in layer of William W Swear-lington and Charles I' Shilling, partners as Swearingen & Shilling, and against Patrick J Kearney, I have levied upon the following described property to-wit Let number nine (8), in black B of Stapps Subdivision of block twenty one (4) of Carver a Addition 12 the City of Decatur, all in the county of Macon and state of Illimois taken as property or the said Patrick J Kearney, which I shall offer at public said at the west door of the count house in the Otto of Decatur, in Macon country, in said state, on the kirst day of October A D 1888 at the hour of two clock p m of eatl day, for cush in hand, to satisfy said excelled.

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"THREE cheers for James O. Blaine; he has beaten the whole Democratic party," was Congress man Tom Reed's exclamation when he heard that Colonel Morton had failed to get the postmastership at Augusta, Me.

New York is often extreme in polities. According to present appear ances, Hill, the Democratic candidate for Governor of that State, is likely to be defeated by as big a majority as that which he received in 1882, when he was elected Lieutenant Governor by 196,000 majority on the ticket with Grover Cleveland for Governor.

Sr. Louis (Hobe Democrat : At first glance, the civil service reform plank of the New York Democratic platform seems to be tinged with incongruity; but this impression is corrected on a careful examination. It means, in fact, that the party is in favor of the reform, but doesn't wish it to be enforced until all the remaining offices shall have been filled with Democrats. A similar position was recently taken by a Kentucky saloon kaeper who posted a notice to the effect that having experienced religion, he would dispose of his stock for the ensuing ninety days at reduced prices, "preparatory to retiring from the accursed liquor traffic forever "

SENATOR SHERMAN Sake: "Are you or are you not in favor of the same freedom of election in Mississippi as you demand for yourselves in Obio?" And the question raises the yell all along the line of "bloody shirt." And yet there is no man but knows there is no such freedom in the States of the South." If such a condition is not a living issue what is? If in half of the States of the or have their ballots counted out be cause they are Republicans, it will take more than lond talk from Democrats to keep the people silent.

Cuicado Journal: The Democrate have ceased to masquerade as reformers. It was a tiresome and unpleasant task to wear the disguise as long as they did. The borrowed or stolen robes in which they have S11,000,000 of this amount had been appeared, however, deinded nobody, and nobody was undeceived when they threw off the garb in which they had strutted and grimaced during their crusade for office and for a short time after they reached the object of their designs. A leopard can change his spots by going from one to another. But no such change is possible to the Democratic party. It is a spoils, anti reform, ring and machine party. It can not be made, or everything. If, however, after the rebe made to appear, otherwise.

ALFRED C. CHAPIN, the present State Comptroller of New York, and the candidate of the Democrats for re-election to the same office, is claimed by them as a model civilservice reformer. He has appointed forty clerks in his office, after a competitive examination, and every one is an offensive partisan Democrat. The Democratic idea of any reform is to adopt a platform in its favor, promise to live up to it if their can didates shall be elected, and then, when they get into power, they violate its principles whonever the spoils or any political consideration interferes.

New York Sun: Mr. Ira Davenport, the Republican candidate for Governor of New York, is free from all factional entanglements. He is a lively, intelligent and popular man, has been a State Senator and Comptroller, and was elected to Congrees last Fall from the Twentyninth District by a handsome majority. He is 44 years old, has no private business except the care of a handsome estate, is a man of rather small stature, with red hair, never married, and a ready and effective epeaker. He has always been a Re-

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Word sat in a large casy chair in his

comfortably furnished room in Ludlow

Street Jail and looked in a sad and ab-

sent-minded manner out of the grated

window upon a number of children who

were playing and singing upon the op-

posite side of the street. "There is

picture of innocence and happiness," he

said, pointing to the prancing little ones.

Turning around in his chair in a nervous

manner, he continued, "No one will ever

know the load that I have been carrying

have been within these walls. I have

heard and read many statements that

have been made in reference to my deal-

ings in the firm of Grant & Ward that

have reflected in a most dam-

criticism I have kept still and uttered

nothing in reply to my accusers. If the

many things that have been said were

true. I would and could have no word of

complaint to utter, but from my own knowledge of what I have done it has

made me shudder at times to read of the

debasing and mean things I am said to

have done-statements which have no had the slightest foundation in fact. I am down, it is true, and in no position to ask favors, and the only thing that is left for me is justice. This is what I

want and crave. The position that I oc

cupy is not known. The facts concerning my actions have never been given to

the public. I have not yet had an opportunity of clearing myself from the unjust imputations

that bave been cast upon me. I have suffered much, and I have been comparatively tleft alone to suffer. It

may be that the stings of conscience have made others suffer sin secret, but I have

been the target at which all the arrows

of degradation have been directed. The pressure that has boon put upon me to

do this or that, to go here or there, to say one thing or another for the benefit of others, has been enormous. The time

is coming when I will be able to do and say something for my own benefit. Since my imprisonment I have been laboring

all I knew how for the benefit of the creditors of Grant & Ward. For eight mouths I worked by day and by night to

make out a statement that would show the condition of the affairs of the firm at the time of the failure. The statement that I made, which showed the name of every person who had any business with Grant & Ward, the amount

the amounts that were paid to him as

profits, was given to Mr. Johnson, received of the Marine Bank, and Mr. Davies,

the receiver for Grant & Ward. This statement shows what was done with every penny that came to my hands while

the firm of Grant & Ward existed. Mr.

pond, leaving a balance of \$5.003,000 These are cound numbers. Now the Im

pression has gone forth that I absorbed

the \$5,000 000; that it went into my pocket for my individual benefit."

posed to represent the amount loss

through the failure of Grant & Ward?"
"I believe it has never as yet been as

certained what the lawful indebtedness

of the firm is, as there are many claims that will be proved usurious and unlaw

ful, but I have shown in my statement clearly, and there can be no dispute over it, to whom I paid some \$5,000,000, and

ceiver has made his roport, it is found that the indebtodness is still larger, I am ready, if permitted to examine the

books, to account for every cent. It is my desire to aid any of the creditors of

Grant & Ward in the recovery of money

who will healtate a long time before they will presont their claims to the receiver and ask that they be paid. I have been,

and am now, condemed because I have not made public the statement that I pre-

pared I have not done so because I did

stand why it has not been done, but I have been given the credit for it. There

is one thing certain, that the statement

will have to be made public. I am get-tling tired. There is a stain upon inv name and family that must be removed. It is believed by every one who has no acquaint-auce with the facts that I made millions

out of the drm's transactions. I did not, and to-day am not worth a dollar. I am

made the scapegoat, and everything is laid at my door. It is not right. There are others who must be held responsible.

If the statement, which, to a large ex-

If the statement, which, to a large extent is my justification, is not made public I will be compelled to give it to you. In the Warner suit I could not bring it out, and in the criminal suit that has been brought against me I will not be able to show my real position. I have been under a cloud long enough, and it is only justice to myself that it should be known who shared the profits with Grant & Ward. The booke of the tirm show every transaction. There is the account of Mayor Grace. He used to discount notes of Grant & Ward for five per cent, and in addition was paid \$1,000 that he advanced. He

was paid \$1,000 that he advanced. He got in round numbers, as I remember it. \$100,000 in profits. He says he mude nothing out of the firm. My statement taken from the books will show that he

holds notes of the drm for \$50,000, but this does not approach his profits."

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"Does your statement show what was

ne with the \$5,000,000 which is sup

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the Firm.

"Yes, but no part of this money was lost. Mr. Hoyt at one time loaned Grant & Ward about \$27,000 on call against which he held accuritles worth twenty per cent more than the loan. This, I understand, was part of the trust money. The loan was paid off before the failure of Grant & Ward, and since the failure of Grant & Ward, and since then we never held a cent of the money to my knowledge. General Grant & Ward. He had no knowledge of its affairs. If I could have gone to see him after the failure and explained to him the nature of many transactions he would, I believe have here satisfied and would believe, have been satisfied and would not have recorded the unfavorable opin-ion of me that he did. But he, like every one else, has blamed me for things that I never did. Light, however, will soone or later be thrown on my transaction or later be thrown on my transactions and strange things be cleared up. I may be crushed, but I am not dead. Other people have had their day and I have suffered, but there is an end to everything. and Ferdinand Ward will be heard from in his own behalf."

'Did the firm of Grant & Ward ever

held in trust by Messrs. Morgan, Hoyt &

Tearing the Mask From a Dead Marty: BOSTON, MASS., September 29 .- The recent suicide of Coleman S. Adams in the vault of the Framlogham Savings Bank, of which he was Treasurer, will be generally remembered. The act was attributed to the wound inflicted upon the sensitive nature of an honorable man in a position of trust, whose business methods had been officially characterized as carcless and inexact. The community held thim guildless of any wors offense, and nothing but pit followed him to his grave. Yesterda afternoon the startling announcement was made that the investigation of the bank examiners into the affairs of the Framingham Bank showed Mr. Adams was a defaulter to the extent of 6228,000. The examiners vesterday afternoon mad application to the Supreme Court for an injunction restraining the bank from continuing business until its exact condition shall have been mide known. The work of examining the books of the bank showed that Treasurer Adams, in making up his accounts, used a memorandum book, bu falled to carry forward from it the correct amounts. The result is a deficiency of about \$228,000, which amount is made up by charging the depositors wit larger sums than were actually paid, with crediting depositors with less sums than actually paid, and in omitting to credit in the depositors' account dividends declared. credit in the dedends declared.

Bank Examiner Getchell did not wish to state whether any facts had come to light, which showed that the Treasurer had appropriated the money to his own use. Although the deficit reaches the sum of \$228,000, the actual loss to stockholders will not exceed, Commissioner Getchell thinks, the sum of \$155,000.

Application for Preliminary Injunction Refused. NEW YORK, September 29 .- Judge Wallace, in the United States Court, has denied the application of the Western Union Telegraph Company for a preliminary injunction restraining the Baltimore & Ohio Telegraph Company from infringing the accord claim of reissued letters patent No. 10,035 granted to Joseph B. Stearns, assignor, to complainant for duplex telegraph apparatus. The applications was resisted on the ground that there was no patentable novelty in the invention, and that the reissue was vold because it included that part of the original invention which had been abandoned to the public by delay on the part of the patentee in applying for a reissue. Judge Wallace

says:
"No doubt is entertained that Stearns was the first inventor of a very valuable improvement in duplex telegraphy. • • The real question is whether the relasae

Judge iWallace, after describing the various inventions, remarks that the reissue was apparently designed to overreach certain other patents. It is not to be criticised because the claims of the several divisions cover the inventions of Steares to the broadest form in which it its face a flagrant attempt to enlarge the scope of the invention. A com-planant asking the protection of an attitude which is commendable in the view of a court of equity. The patent, as reissued, is well calculated to suggest doubts as to its validity. The defendant acted upon this belief. such circumstances, the complainant has not the stringent remedy applied for; and it is the duty of the court to deny preliminary rellef, and leave the com-plainant to the ordinary relief at final

THE TURF.

Brighton Beach Races.

Grant & Ward in the recovery of money that may have been unhavisuity paid out. I have worked diligently to accomplish this, and it makes no difference what may become of me I will continue to until the end. If the illegal claims against Grant & Ward were pressed the amount of indebtedness might reach \$50,000,000, but there are many people who will healthan a long time before they New York, September 29. - The first race at Brighton Beach yesterday was a selling purse for three year-old and upward; three-quarters mile: Waukesha, Rushbrook, accord; Burgandia, not think that it was proper for me in the position that I occupy to do so. The statement should be made public by the receiver, and I believe that it is his daty to do so, and do not under-Time, 1 17 1-4. Mutuals paid, 831,50

Second Race—Selling purse, of a mile and a furlong: Valley Forge, first; Cardinal McClosky, second; Punka, third. Time, 1:57. Mutuals paid \$40.25.
Third Page—Selling purse for two. Third Race—Selling purse for two-year-olds, three-quarters of a mile:

Restless, first: Bessle B., second; Grand Duke, third. Time, 1:17 1-2. Mutuals patd \$20.85. Fourth Race—For all ages, one mile: Little Minch, first; l'Pericles, second; Joe S., third. Time, 1:42 1-4. Mutuals

paid \$750. Fifth Race—Consolation purse, seven furlougs: Balshazar, first; Choctaw, second; Pilot, third. Time, 1:31 1-2. Mutuals paid \$245.80.

BASE BALL.

Score of Games Played Monday, Sep-Baltimore, Md .- I.ouisvilles, 4; Balti

mores, 2. Philadelphia, Pa.—Athletics, 6; Pitts New York .- Metropolitans, 10; St Brooklyn, N. Y.—Cincinnatis, 10 Brooklyns, 2.

Detroit, Mich.-Detroits, 14; Provi FAIR

St. Mary's Hospital.

The Fair will begin at the Tabernacle WED NESDAY EVENING, Sept. 36, at 7 o'clock.

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Secretary Whitney's Letter Instructions to the Board of Appraisers.

Supplemental Instructions in Regard the Special Delivery System-Can't Be Garnisheed.

The Cuban Mail Service -- Guarding th Canadian Frontier -- Unloading the Dollars of the Dads.

Bearetary Whitney's Instructions to the Board of Appraisers.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 29. Secretary Whitney last Saturday ad dressed the following letter to Captan Matthhews, President of the Board o.

Appraisers:

Washington, D. C., September 26, 1885.

To Cuplain Edminal O. Matthews. U. S. N. President of Hoard of Appraisers.

Six In view of the many unauthorized and erroneous stutements which have bremmade with reference to the contracts upor the Boston, Atlanta and Chicago, and for the purpose of guarding against any confusion in the minds of any members of the Board as to what specific province you are called upon to perform I make this communication to your Board.

First—The contract is your only reference for your authority and duty under your appointment. The validity of the contract-has never been, as far as I know, by any person assailed, and I know of no ground upon which they can be. There is no specific requirement as to the speed of these three ships to be found in the legislation authorizing them, and hence the ground upon which the Dolphin contract was crificitly by the Attorney-General does not exist in these cases. You are to assume, therefore that the terms of the contracts, and the pluas and specifications which are a part of them, embody the record to which you will make reference in the performance of your duty.

Second—Another misstatement has been widely directated to the effect that the department has questioned the character of the work upon those ships, and deems the

Sécond-Another misstatement has beer widely obraulated to the effect that the department has questioned the character of the work upon those ships, and deems the contract not properly performed in this regard. No suggestion or intimation of this hind has ever been made by the department and you will allow no such supposition to prejudice you against the contractor, or the ships. You will, of course, deal fairly with hoth the Covernment and the contractor, and as you find the facts to be.

Third-You are not assisting in the carrying out of any secret compromise or arrangement between the parties, the terms of which you are not assisting in the carrying been stopped, the Government has proceeded under the contract to take possession and to have an inventory and appraisal made, and hereafter will doubtless find it wiser to complete the vessels where they lie, But all this is staply carrying out the duty of the Government in the contingency which has arisen, and calls for no consideration from you.

Fourth—The duty which the contract imposes upon you under your appointment is to examine the role and the parties in the

ation from you. Fourth—The duty which the contract imposes upon you under your appointment is to examine the work and materials in the three ships, and secretain and declare the three ships, and secretain and declare the fall market value thereof, including a reasonable and customery margin of profit upon so much of the work as shail and has been satisfactority performed. It may simplify your preliminary deliberations somewhat and enable you to settle in your own minds the basis upon which it is import for you to determine this question of market value, if I state to you what, after some consideration, seems to me to be the course which you are to purpue, in one sense the market value of apartially completed naval vessel unless for moreantle purposes, would be almost nothing Its saleable value might be said to be its value for the purpose of jank. This is not the interpretation to be put on the words as used in the content of farms the Government is concerned, you can treat the work performed, and material at land as the parts of a completed ship. You can determine the value by proporting the work satisfactorily completed, with the entire work required and ascertain thereby the procata given our pleted ship to be the contract price, by ascertaining the amount of expenditure necessition and expenditure necessarial amount of expenditure necessarial amount of expenditure necessarial amount of expenditure necessarial amount of expenditure necessarial and the proporting the smooth of expenditure necessarial and the contract price, by ascertaining the amount of expenditure necessarial and the contract price, by ascertaining the amount of expenditure necessarial and the contract price, by ascertaining the amount of expenditure necessarial and the contract price, by ascertaining the amount of expenditure necessarial and the contract price, by ascertaining the amount of expenditure necessarial and the contract price, by ascertaining the amount of expenditure necessarial and the contract price, by ascertaining the amount od of determining the question might be alopted Assuming the value of the completed ship to be the contract price, by ascertaining the amount of expenditure necessary for her completion up to the requirements would leave the value of the work performed, and it is possible that the same method might be more readily adopted in the other cases. In all those matters it is entirely proper for you to recolve suggestions from the other partles to the contract, and in making this suggestion as to your method of procedure. I may state that I have done so after consultation with the engages, and they concur with me in the matter; but you will understand that the method of determining the value is for you to decide, and these suggestions are made simply for your consideration.

Very respectative.

We C. Whitner.

Secretary of the Navy. The Special Delivery System. WASHINGTON, D. C., September 29. The Post-office Department proposes to lasue a circular which is intended to bo supplemental to the instructions already published in regard to the special devery service, which goes into operatio October 1st. The circular points out, among other things, the importance of senders of special letters directing such letters as plainly and explicitly as possiblo. Whereever it can be done the street and number should be given. Where this is not practicable, the occupation of the addressee should be given. In this way delivery will be facilitated and mistakes avoided. The senders of special delivery letters should also put upon them a request to return in case of non-

Can't Be Garnisheed. WASHINGTON, D. C., September 29,-The Postmaster General has decided a question of considerable interest to all employes of the postal service. A credtor of several of the employes of the Post-office in New York tried to gar nishee the salaries of employes. The Postmaster General adecided that the Government owns the money due an employe until the money is paid over to him, and that there can be no such thing is a garnishee in the matter.

Postmaster Pearson, who has been summoned to appear in a New York court in such cases, has been informed that, in making his appearance, it must be as a private citizen, on the ground

The Cuban Mails, WASHINGTON, D. C., September 29 .-Mr. Nicholas M. Bell, Chief of the Foreign Mail Service, Post-office Department, denies the statement published in the Tribune yesterday that mails for Havana, Cuba, have been carried by the fishing smack Alaska. He says the regular mail tug J. W. Cochrane was disabled for a short time, ow ing to a broken shaft, and the mails were then carried by the schooner Nonparell, and at no time were they ever more than two hours late.

Guarding the Frontler. WASHINGTON, D. C., September 29.— New York, September 29.—The St. Secretary Manuling yesterday sent out a Regis Indians were yesterday defeated circular letter to customs officers on the by the New York Lacrosse Club by Canadian frontier, directing them to aid | score of two to one

the sanitary inspectors of the Marine Hospital service and inspectors acting under State authority, as far as practicable, in the examination of baggage, to prevent the introduction of small-pox into this country from Canada.

> The St. Louis Post-office. WASHINGTON, D. C., September 29 .-Senators Vest and Cockrell and a number of Democratic representatives are here, and is is expected that a move will be made upon the Administration for the purpose of securing the patronage of Eastern Missouri to the Democrats. Most of them, it is said, favor Colonel W. M. Hyde for Postmaster at St. Louis.

Unloading the Silver-Washington, D. C., September 29.-The cargoes of allver brought from New Orleans by the United States steamers Swatara and Yantic are being unloaded

at the Navy Yard.

FLOWER'S SUCCESSOR. Meeting of the New York State Demo-

NEW YORK, September 29.-The new Democratic State Committee met at the Hoffman House last evening to organize and to select a candidate for Lieutenant. Governor, in place of Hon. R. P. Flower, who declined the nomination. From at early hour! the corridors of the hotel were crowded by politicians from all parts of the State, and great laterest was manifested in the action of the committee. At nine o'clock the committee went into session. Hon. John O'Brien, of Duchess, the lormer incum-bent, was chosen Chairman and Wm. L. Miller as Secretary. After some informal discussion the chair appointed an execu-tive committee of six, with power to add to their number. An adjournment was then taken until to-day at noon. It was stated that a committee had been appointed to wait on General Slocum and tender him the nomination for Lieuton-

SLAIN IN THE STREET.

Fatal Rencounter Between Two Disciples

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., September 29 .-At Saybrook, twenty-five miles from here, yesterday morning, Dr. Harvey L. Harris shot and killed Dr. Geo. Barton on the principal street of the village. There had been very bad feeling between the two men on several scores. There was professional jealousy between them for one reason, and it is also thought that a lady in the village had something to do with the quarrel. Dr. Harris surrendered himself at once to a Constable and acknowledge the killing He claimed that it was justifiable; that Dr. Barton was beating him with a cane, and that his life was in peril. The feeling against the prisoner is

The Junketing Bankers. St. Paul., MINN., September 20.about one hundred of the visiting bank. ers went to Minneapolis yesterday morning at nine o'clock. They were met at the depot by citizens in carriages and driven around the city, returning to the West House, where an informal lunch was served. gramme of entertainment. Last night forty of the bankers returned East on the St. Paul Road, and the others go to Duluth, Stillwater and Fargo. They say their visit has been very pleasant.

NEW YORK, September 29 .- Albert Hirsch, dealer in lumber at Seventyfourth street and Eleventh avenue, made an assignment yesterday to Edwin Loorburger, giving preferences for \$36,298. Mr. Hirsch claimed a capital of over \$50,000, but has been reported in bad standing for some time past. He was interested in building operations. In the trade his liabilities are estimated at about \$100,000, a large part of which is the in Albany National banks, where he observed most of his lumber. obtained most of his lumber.

Georgia Ruled Out.

ALBANY, N. Y., September 29 .- The Attorney-General decides that the savings banks of this State can not lawfully invest in State of Georgia bonds under our statutes, for the reason that the State of Georgia has made default within ten years last past in payment of in-terest upon the bonds of the Brunswick & Albany Rallroud which were guaranteed by the State, and upon which th liability of the State has accrued.

A Monster Meteor.

PITISBURGH, PA., September 29.-It is now ascertained that the supposed earthquake experienced on Saturday was the shock produced by the falling of an immense meteor near Middletown, on the line of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erle Road. The fall was witnessed; by several persons, and their story is corroborated by an assistant of Professor Langley at the Allegheny Observatory.

Fatal Effects of a Random Shot. HALIFAX, N. S., September 29.—A ter-

rible tragedy has occurred at Gander Bay. Two men started off in search of deer. During the night one heard t rustling in the bushes, and thinking it was caused by a deer, he raised his gun and fired. Proceeding to the spot he found two men wettering in their blood. One was killed outright, and the other so scriously wounded that he will die.

Insurance Companies Knocked Out. HARRISDURG, PA., September 29 .-Suits were instituted against twenty-one insurance companies yesterday with a view to the revocation of their charters for violation of State laws. They were nearly all of them of the grave yard species, and had been proceeded against by the Attorney-General in 1984, but were not then knocked out, as they had claimed that they had done nothing it-

WILMINGTON, DRL., September 29 .-The Jackson & Sharp Company yesterday contracted to build a sixty-foot steam yacht for Boston parties. During the winter the craft will remain at Charleston, S. C., and be taken to Boston in summer.

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One \$12 Boy's Suit of Ciothes, from J. R. Race & Co One fine Collulated Set, from S. M. Irwin, Druggist.
One sight day Seth Thomas Clock, from G. E. Curtis & Co., leading jewelers.
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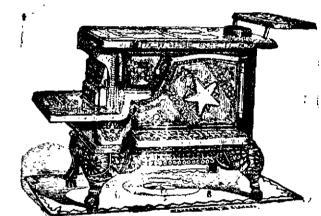
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LOCAL NEWS.

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SHERIDAN in tragedy Thurday night-Louis XI,"

Your box rent will be due on Thurs-

THE Meyer-Housum wedding occurs

Business in the circuit court will be gin in earnest next Monday. THE new postmaster at Latham, on the P., D. & E. road, is John A. Colvin.

THE sale of seats for Sheridan begins THE new engines at the escapement

oal shaft are in position. They are there The best oyster crackers are on sale at the Steam Bakery.

THE colored Baptists have decided not to hold a camp meeting at the Park this

JOE RAY has an entertaining letter on the fourth page of this issue, telling about the soldiers' reupion at Clinton.

Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Secretary Randall on East Eldorado St. ROBERT W. CARTWELL is the name of the new postmaster just appointed at

THE Pension Examining Board meets

Assumption, relieving an o. p. THE finest lot of apples and fruits you ever eaw at Lebman & Bolen's family grocery store, 150 Merchant street,

WE are not to have Rosenfeld in the "Mikado" opera this week. The engagement is off.

THE call of cases on the criminal docket in the circuit court will commence

Tue soldiers' remaion at Taylorville will begin to-morrow and continue until Friday. Comrades from Decatur will

Some close bets have been made about the location of the Boldiers' Home in Decatur. The matter will probably be settled thus week.

THE Philadelphias will come back next Monday. If it is a fur day there will be a fine game.

THE Good Templars will hold a sociable at the residence of William Latham, at 818 North Water street, on Thursday evening next, to which all members and friends of the order are invited.

DEAL with Hanks & Patterson, the South Water street grocers. They carry a full line of goods and fresh country

THE inther of Judge Smith diel at Muncie, Ind., on Sanday. The burial will occur at Bellefoutaine, Ohio.

Stor at O. B. Prescott's and see those legant new matruments just received. This corn crop throughout the coun-

ry having passed the ontical period, it is figured out that the probable yield in Illigors this year will be nearly 50,000,000 bushels over 1884. In 1884 there were 244.541.000 bushels produced: the figures for 1885 are 291,239,000 bushels. The class condition.

TELEPHONE to Niedermyer's grocery store on the Mound for Decatur coal.

THERE were about 35 members present last night at the regular meeting of Decatar Lodge of Good Templars. During the evening "Section 2" gave a literary entertainment, in which Theo. Coleman, D. C. Shaw and W. A. Combs engaged, each delivering an address.

ROLLER SKATING SHOES at Freeman FRESE OFSTERS daily at the Enropean

Restaurant, No. 114 North Water street. HAVE your Boots and Shoes made a Busher & Hutchin's. sept15-d&wtf

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Done buggies! Doll buggies! Four lifferent styles, at 99c each. 21-dif The Leonard Assemblies. These assemblies will be resumed again this season at their old quarters, Guards Armory, Opera block, commencing next Thursday, Oct. 1st. Prices of admission will remain the same (50c), admitting lady and gentleman. Music by the Opera

P. S. The same rule will be followed as formerly—that is, all attending the assemblied who wish it will be instructed in all the latest and fashionable dances of the season free. Mr. Leonard has just returned from New York with a repertoire of all the dances to be taught in fashionable society this season. The "Highland Gavotte," adopted by the American Association of Tesouers at their last meeting (Sept. 1st) is the only new dance to be taught. No change in the waltz. Instructions from 7:30 to 9 o'clock. Due notice of the first meeting of the Javenile Class, now forming, will be sept24.dtf

For birthday presents, buy a Gent's Smoking Jacket at B. Stine's. dt.

THE NEW JUDGE His Honor, James F. Hughes, on the

The non-arrival of Judge James F. Hughes yesterday, from Mattoon, was caused by his failing to reach the train n time. On his return home he found a elegram from Judge Smith, asking him to go to Urbana and adjourn court there, Judge Smith having gone to Muncie, Ind., last week, where his father died on Sunday. The body was removed to Bellefontaine, Ohio, yesterday, for burial. Judge Hughes accordingly, went to Urbana and did as directed, arriving in Decatur this morning. He convened court here this forencen at a few minutes past nine o'clock, after he had been given a cordial greeting by the members of the bar and court officers. He is a dignified, pleasant gentleman, and has an easy menner of disposing of business promptly. He announced that court would stand adjourned until Monday, October 5th, when he will return from Edger county and hold court here continuously for a period of about five weeks. The grand and petit juries will be impannel ed next Monday. ORDERS TO-DAY.

The following cases received attention to-day: COMMON LAW DOCKET.

John B. Johnson vs. Amanda Johnson; treapers on the case; suit dismissed at plaintiff's cost for want of declaration.

S. Elser & Co. vs. C. C, kadeliff et al; trover; motion by defendants to suppress dopo sitions.
Carrington & Casoy vs. David Garver et a sesumpsit; suit dismissed by plaintiffs at the

assumpsit; sait dismissed by pialntiffs at their cost.

William O. Davis vs. Powner, Ackerman & Co; attachment; motion by defendants to strike cause from docket overruied.

George Brown vs. I., D. & S. H. y Co.; trespass on the case; motion by defendants to strike cause from docket overruied.

Ed. W. Green vs. Springfield E. & T. Co. and Albert Manecke; case; rule on defendants to plead by 2d Monday.

Fred. Aboltz vs. E. O. Smith and I. V. Goltra; assumpsit; rule on pisintiff to flie cost bond or justiff by 2d Monday.

A. %, Taylor vs. Louis Scrensen; assumpsit; rule to plead extended to 2d Monday.

P. M. Wikoff vs. Henry Flood and Aaron Bricker; assumpsit; suit dismissed by pialntiff at ble cost.

Warrensburg Co-operativa Association vs.

Iff at his cost,
Warronsbury Co-operative Association vs.
Warronsbury Co.; assumpent; rule on plateIff to file cost bond by 2d Monday.
Tobias Kochnet vs. Fred Aholtz and M
Meldi, appellant; appeal; rule on A. C. Stevens, J. P., to send up transcript and paper.

William Chisholm et al vs. Ira Harris et al: appearance of Harris and Cleveland Rolling Mill Co. entered and proof of service on other detondants by service or copy of bill.
William M. Chance et al vs. Frank and Nors McGuire: partition. Proof of publication mada

made.
Thomas J. Underwood vs. Azolis Underwood; divorce. Proof of publication made. Joshus L. Proof of publication made. Joshus L. Proof of publication made. Mary W. Dimond vs. Eutiles Misson et al. force. Source, Suit dismissed by complainant. P. C. McDaniet et al. vs. M. J. Mulrisad et al. chancery. Time to answer extended to second Monday.
William Barnes, as executor, vs. John Sawyer et al.; chancery. Appearance of particle

yer of all chancery. Appearance of particles in interest entered and leave to amond uill. John Coleman ws. Sarah J. Coleman; divorce. Proof of publication made. Daniel H. Harts vs. Bitza. C. Cooper et al foreclosuro. Rule to answer extended to third Mondow. Monday.
Oscar Fuller et al ve. Wm. Sipe et al; partition, W.C. Johns appointed guardian ad liter
for minor defendants.
John Wonacott vs. J. H. Poulter et al, in
Junction James H. Jones appointed receiv er, giving bond and security to be approve by the clerk in the sum of \$5,000.

ADJOURNED. Court adjourned to 10 a. m., Monday, Octo bor 5th. The Judge will remain here until al cases are disposed of, letting court in other printies get along as best it oan.

We learn that at a recent meeting of the Typographical Union of this city, on of the daily newspaper offices was closed by that organization to union printers on account of the publisher refusing to discharge a non-union man. We also anderstand that several members of the Union were suspended for refusing to participate in the proceedings of the meeting, which may lead to the closing of another office.

WITHIN a few days the books and papers belonging to the Macon County Ab stract Company will be removed from the circuit clerk's office to the office now cocrop in Macon county is reported in first- | cupied by John A. Brown, Master in Chancery. Mr. Brown will take possestion of the first room porth of his present location, and Miss Richards, the dress maker, will vacate and occupy the cooms over F. L. Hays & Co,'s store when Dr. Blythe, the dentist, moves out. The abstract company vacate the circuit plerk's office by order of the county board.

> To-Night, The accomplished Catherine Lewis will appear this evening as a star in a new a well-known opera singer, and her new play is fresh and breezy, furnishing ber ample opportunities to display her varions accomplishments. She appears as "Gladys," a little Bohemian, and as merdeuts in the progress of the play she sings and dances most bewitchingly. Those who know Miss Lewis will recogmz , the fact that a first-class entertain ment may be expected. You will be entertained to night. Popular prices.

Grand Concert. On next Tuesday evening, Oct 6, The and babe will remain here some days yet, Alex having returned sesterday. Von Elsner Concert Co, consisting of Miss Emma Von Elsner, sister of the late Marie Litta, Don Von Elever, cornetiet, Prof. A. Beuter, pianist, and other wellknown talent, will give a concert at | duly installed at the company's general Smith's Opera House. Admission 35 and office on East Eldorado street. 50 cents. Seats on sale at Curtis & Co.'s.

IN a quarrel, at Saybrook, on Monday morning, Dr. H. L. Barris shot and killed Dr. Geo. Barton. The latter impugned friends rapidly. the professional merit of Harris, who then charged Barton with lying. Bar-ton, it is alleged, knocked Harris down, Grace, daughter of Rev. J. H. Nobbe, of and the latter shot his opponent through Therman Bros. have exclusive sale of the heat lines of Men's Women's and object the best lines of Men's Women's and attention to his victim when arrested, and was taken to Bloomington for eafethe heart. Harris was giving medical

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THE sale of the Carl Schubsch bakery offects under the mortgage held by Leiby Bros. will occur on Oct. 8th. Constable McWhinney has posted the notices. The effects are not plentiful. The mortgage is for \$450.

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The Soldiers' Home Commission. The Springfield Journal of to-day contained the following information about other mail matter by special messengers the probable action of the Home Comwill go into effect in Decatur and in all mission: "Col. W. W. Berry, of Quincy, other towns of 4,000 inhabitants or over chairman, and Col. Henry T. Noble, of on Thursday, October 1st, Postmaster Dixon, of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home | Lytle some days ago received a supply of Commission, arrived in the city last evening, and the other members are expected here this morning. The Commission will meet at 9 o'clock this morning, at the Le land Hotel, and it is expected their deliberations will continue about four days. They will go into secret session and do not expect to hear visiting delegations or arguments. Their custom has been to examine the sites for themselves, to hear oral and receive written arguments. The arguments refer not to the sites them selves, but to the general advantages of the localities. They have written arguments from all the proposed locations exept four, which presented oral arguments at the time of examining the sites. This gives them thirty-seven arguments to consider and weigh. The delegations will not be admitted further than to answer questions upon any points which may arise in the minds of the Commission and which they cannot readily settle."

Dear Sport. The Decator Barbors received a cool eception at Bloomington. They went there yesterday to play ball with the bar bers pine, but on getting off there was no one at train to meet them, and the visitors had to hunt around the town for the barbers. They finally got a nine to play ball at the Park, but there was only one barber in the Bloomington nine. At the Park there were not enough people to pay expenses, and our boys got discouraged and played a loose game. The score was 15 to 5 against Decatur. It will be a cold day when the Decatur barbers pay and Dr. Terrell, of Delbi, Ohio, will join Bloomington another visit.

The Organ Concert. The following will be the programme bserved at the grand vocal and matrumental concert at the First M. E. church Tuesday evening, Sept. 29th:

(a) Tocoata and Fugue in D minor.
(b) Communion in F
(c) Funeral March of a Marienette CFARSTER OF A MATIONALIS GOURDS

(TRANSCRIBED SETTING OF A MATIONALIS GOURDS)

2 CHOIR—Mighty Jehovah

3 Overture to "William Tell", Rossin

(Transcribed by Buck)

MR. CLARENCE EDDY.

4 CHOIR—How Beautiful on the Mountains

5 SOLO—The Bugler
MR, S. M. LUJY...
6 (a) Prayer and Cradie Song
(Arranged by Eddy.)
(b) Variations on a Scotch Air
MR. CLARENCE EDDY.
7 MALE CHORUS—Martial Hyme
8 Grand Fantasic in Eminor.
(The Storm.)
MR. CLARENCE EDDY.
9 CHOIR—The Barth is the Lorify.
10 Offertoire de Sio Cecile, No. 2
MR. CLARENCE EDDY. . Gomes

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. F. Busher is home from Springfield. Lawyer Etdridge has gone to Kansas John Monroe, grocer at Sullivan, had

usiness in the city to day. Gen'l Secretary Mann is attending a listrict conference at Paris.

Dr. J. M. Blythe, the dentist, will re nove his office to rooms over "The Fair"

Stanton Field, shade hanger, etc., will be found hereafter at Linn & Scruggs Judge Hughes arrived in the city this

morning, and after adjourning court left for Paris. George Stare goes with the Decatur bunting party to Wancelah, Mich., and the Daily Republican will follow him. James Thomas, proprietor of the Ar-

ington Hotel, has about recovered from nie recent severe illness. P. M. Moore, of Arcola, and Dr. J. L. Connelly, of Harristown, were among the guests at the St. Nicholas to-day.

Miss Olive Conover, of Torre Hante. who has been visiting Capiain Bacon and family, left for Tuscola to-day.

Capt. Christ. Riebsame, who loss made a visit to Germany, has arrived in New York, and will be at Bloomington Thurs-

Joe Bridges and wife, of Bement, a newly married comple, were in the city last ovening making purchases at the

fire a motion at Judge Hughes this morning, and one of the brethren remarked: "Harvey's always the first at the bat." B. B. Campbell, formerly of this city,

now of Orlando, Florida, has our thanks comedy called "Gladys." Miss Lowis is for late copies of Florida papers. Orlando now has a dully paper, The News. Will L. Dumont, who is a member of the grain commission firm of Frank Mur-

den & Co., at Peorin, was in the city but evening. He returned home this morn-W. Ed. Haworth and L. A. Bucking-

afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. A. Nebinger came up to Decatur from Springfield Saturday night o visit relatives and (ii ads. Mrs. N

Oscar Shrader, private secretary of the General Traffic Manager of the Illinois Midland, arrived yesterday from Terio Hante with his type writer, and is now

Rev. A. D. Scott, the new pastor of the U. B. Church, pand us a friendly call last evening in company with Rev. Trueblood, presiding elder. Rev. Scott is a genul, pleasant gentleman, and is making

Invitations are out for the marriage of Shelbyville. The coremony will take place at the M. E. church in Shelbyville, Oct. I. J. W. BAKES sells

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The Hunters.

Wm. Bowers, George Stare, S. R. Gher Wm. Traver, Jefferson Rainey, W. H Stare, V. H. Parke and Joe Powell, of the Decatur Hunting Party, leave to-night for Wancedah, Mich. L. L. Haworti and son Will and B. W. Campbell are now in Michigan, Dr. W. J. Chenoweth the party in Chicago to-morrow, and W. B. Chambers will follow in a few days. Dr. Terrell is a photographer and he will take views for the party. The party will return home about Oot, 21th.

Arrangements have been made for to donate meats can, if they prefer i be cooked as desired.

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Mr. Shordan has a wenderful face for such a part. Every emotion, every thought that stars mind or heart is given a deeper meaning by the marvelous play of his features.

In a performance that was as near perfocusing a sean be imagined, it is difficult to say what portion was bost, but if a vote could be taken in last night slarge and delighted audicated, it is probable that the scone with the passants would be awarded the patia.

At the end of every act, after the first, Mr. Sheridan was called before the curtain, and his reception after the third and fourth really amounted to an existen. No other actor ever won his way to the hearts of a Den er audicated, it is each of the curtain and hight.

The first of the Lonia baging part week.

the exercsionists a fine opportunity t witness the parade of the Veiled Prophets

tur Trades and Labor Assembly are:

Excursion to Tennessee and Mississippi. The illinois Central H. R. will run a South-orn Lind Exeursion to points in Tonnesset and Mississippi, leaving Decalar at 5 45 p. m. October 20, 1885, at the usual exceedingly low round trip rates. In addition to this, Colone Cutes, assistant commissioner of Tennesse has arranged for a detour from Jackso through West Tennessee, embracing about 18 miles, passing through Humboldt, Trenton Union City, Momphis, Somerville, Brownsvill Miling, Parts, McKenzie, Huntingdon, uni Dregden, at a rate of one cent per mile. The citizens at various points are arranging to otertain the entire party, and not only but quet them, but will take them around the ham were opposing attorneys in a civil towns and country free of charge. This is section before Eyman this foremoon. The commits against opportunity to visit Tennes. Justice reserved his decision in til this sec and Mississippi. Sleeping cars will run Dirough to Now Orleans on this excursion, t ccommodate New Orleans, Jennings an Fiorbla passengers. Applications for borth--hould be made to the undersigned at Man

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Mr. Sheridan, supported by a powerful company, will appear in a tragedy. The sale of reserved seats begins to morrow morning. Said the Denver News:

In our opinion the innest imporsonation of a tracte rule ever soon in the Opera House was Nr. Sheridan's Louise Wilsat uight. It is essen-tially a many shied character, and Mr. Sheri-dan turned every face of it to the audience with the strength, grace and art of a true gen-

THE fair at St. Louis begins next week on the 5th, and will continue until th 10th. Remember, on the 6th, the Wa bash will run a special train out of Deca tur, leaving at 1 p. m., and returning leave St. Louis at 11 p. m., thus giving

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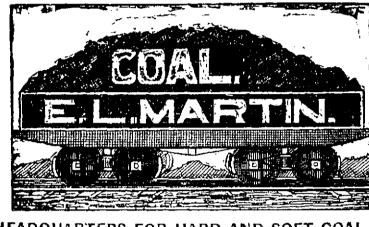
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at the nonr of 2 o'clock p.m. at said day, shall set public anotton, to the highest leader, for each, at the west dour of the Court House, in Poentice, in said county, the following described real estate stonic in the county of Macon and state of Hillord, to-wit: The south half of the southgest quarter and the north half of the horthwest quarter of the southgest quarter of section their of the southgest provention north rather three each of the it? quarter of section thriff-four 5D, township soventeen north, range three easted the 14P. M. togother with all and singular the tene-ments and heroditaments thereinto belonging. Sald provided will be sold subject to refemp-tion.

Donatur, Illinois, Sept. 10th, 1885

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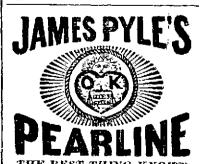
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tion, Thaddeau Stevens, the distinguished Con-presentation once words to a fellow them been shown and suffering from hisbrestion and kalasy disease. "The Mishers Heal Billies, I believe it will cure son. Thave medit for both indigestion and affec-tion of the kalasys, and it is the most wonderful combination of medicinal below to tever say. MISHLER HERB BITTERS CO., 525 Commerce St , Philadelphia. Parker's Pleasant Worm Syrup Never Fails





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Jan. 1284—daw 80%

· NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern:
You will take notice that the undersigned intends making, application at the regular mention of the city council, to be held on the council of the city council to be held on the mention of the city council to be not because y. meeting of the city council, to be held on the 5th day of October, A. D. 1835, for a Bresne to soit intoxicating liquors, in a building situate of in the south batt of lot 12, block 7, Plant & Tuttle's Addition to City of Deastur, at No. 768 North Brondway, and building being owned by A. Harpstrite.

Soptif d5w

Why will you pay \$5.00 for a stiff brim hat when you can buy the best qualities and latest styles at from \$3.00 to \$3.50 at

B O WOIMILLE M D Marengo, Ill.

What a common expression; and how much it means to many a poor sufferer! These acres have a cause, and more frequently than is generally suspected, the cause is the Liver or Kidneys. No disease is more painful or

NUTES A haif dozon cornet and martial bands fur nisbed music. John McPherson, of the list, ied the gled club. John is what Cacle Dick would call a glorious comrade.

John P. Huzel and Jerome Cundler, of Ottewa, Ill., were there, both 41st boys who went from Clinton; Joe. Ware, from Mahomet, Ill., of the 4let Regiment, put in an appearance for the first time since the war. All these were of Co C. S. C. Ray was there from the Capital

Capt. Geo. S. Durfee, of the old 8th, took in e rounton the second day. So far as I could loarn, there was no accident of any kind and the best of order prevailed.

About 701 soldiers registered, There was an immense crowd of people of the grounds the second day. The dust from the city to the fair ground

was shaply superb.

A large melon patch near the grounds was not foraged out of existence, which shows a healthy moral tone among the old vets. The writer is under obligations to Col. War ner and lady for the royal camp ground to which he was made welcome, in their boauti fut home, the night be rounded in Clinton.

JOE, RAY, Co. A, 4tat hils. Vots., Emery, His. A Great Surprise

Is in store for all who use Remp's Balsam for the throat and lungs, the great guaranteed remedy. Would you believe that it is sold on its morits and that each druggist is authorized to refund your money by the proprietor of this wonderful remedy if it fails to care you. Dr. A. J. Stoner, druggist, No. 14 south side new square, hus secured the agency for it. Price 50 cents and \$1. Trial size free.

Spender, Leeman & Co. have secure Peter Schuttler Wagon, which is universally rogarded as the best. It requires some enterpaise and no little confidence in the public for a firm to purchase the best and highest priced wagon in the market by the car-load where all their compatitors are handling cheaper and interpretations. The success of t ferior grades of goods, but Spencer, Lehman & Co, believe the best wagon in the world is none too good for their quatom.

Remoyal. John W. Tyler, jr., the harness dealer, has removed his store to his new location on East Prairie street. He has a fine display of new harness, saddles, etc., and invites the citizens and farmers to give him a call.

June 25 dawtf

A New Shop. E. W. Chandler, the well-known artist, has opened a chop in the Perl Block, on South Main street, and is prepared to make fine boots and shoes to order on short notice, and is also ready to do co bling in a superior manner, all at the lowest living prices. Give him a call. Sept 5 dtf

D. A. MAFFIT has three wagons delivering pure crystal ice every day. Send orders to Telephone 100. apr 7-dtf

SECOND HAND, shelf-worn, and new books can be found in Tyler's place—one door west of postoffice.

Second Hand, shelf-worn, and new She told her friends, and row they all keep a doctor at home in the form of Parker's Tonic. Septi-wadeod4w

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THE CLINTON REUNION.

EDITORS REPHILLIOAN:-The 20th and 25th of

September, 1885, will long be remembered b he old veterans of the Armies of the Repul

ic, who assembled at Cliuton on the above

iates to partake of the hospitality of the pa

triotic people of Clinton and DeWitt county

Your correspondent arrived on an early train

Thursday morning and found the city inll of

people. Nearly all the stores, banks, shops and a great number of the private residences

were handsomely Jecorated, or almost buries

in flags and overgreens, while arches at the

onds, tamiliar to the war-worn veteran. Cor

spicuous among all were the pictures of th Old Commander, crowned with the unfading

The camp was on the fair grounds, a mile o

shelter for those who remained in camp, in-

toro from the city, where there was applied

cluding plonty of good water and choice ra-

tions from the landers of the good people of

Downs, all he tree he the air for the toys who

wore the blue. Numerous speeches were the

glor of the day hatersported with old camp-

ire songs that recalled the days of long ego.

Among the speakes of course Urete Dick

tiok the lead, and there were but few dry eyes

mone the viducans while the old governor

recounted the trials and bardships of the past

and of the giorious legions who fell in light.

The most interesting part to the writer was

he most are of old commides of the 41st, unity

ni whom we had not seen since the war. Two

neotings were held at which the story of the

and battles fought over again. The most in-teresting part of the inter was the facal assault at Jackson, Miss., July 12, 193. E. T.

Lee read an account of this light from both

Federal and Confederate sources, also a letter

from Con. Shorman showing that he did not order or even contemplate such an assault

This was the light where the recently found

cotors of the 53d were lost. The 28th Illinois

lost their colors, and the dist lost their blue

held banner at the same place. Sergt. H. M.

Stroover, of Argenta, bore the battle flag of

sately out, and no flag was ever more gallantly borne in battle than the one carried by plain Farmer Streever on that fatal July day.

About seventy members of the 41st register

ed. The officers present were Lieut, Col. John

Warner, Capt. J. F. Harold, Capt. Kelley and Lieut. Win. Gowen, of DeWitt county; Lieut.

ohn MoPherson, of Moline; Capt. M. F. Ka-

Muttoon: Capt. W. F. Turney, of Shelbyville orderly Sergeaut Powell, do: Lieut. Chae. C

Young, Taylorville; Capt. D. H. Hall, Harri-

Kan. Also Serg't Wm. H. Taylor, of DeWitt.

An organization of the 41st to hold annual re-

held in Decatur. The officers of the organiza

nembers of the 3d lows, and three rousing

choers were given by the 41st for that gallent

old command who were our boon companions

all through the war. All the Loys who are

dead were remembered, and the places where they fell were recounted by their comrades,

who are still waiting to cross the mystic river

where the roll of the drum and the stirring

notes of the bugle will noter summons us to

the flat in this bloody fray and brought

preaths of victory.

incipal street crossings bore historical leg-

CLINTON, ILL , Sept. 25, 1885

Germany keeps her place at the hoad of other nations because of the superior intelligence of her people. The proportion of illiterate people is less in that country than in any other on earth. All the young men impressed into her armies grade higher in intelligence and education than in the most favored educations. Of a hundred and fifty thousand recruits tested, only one and one that per cent, could not read or write.

The Morbus, Asiatic Cholera, Congestion of the Somach, Diarrhea, Oysentory or Fiax in Somach, In some provinces, such as Wurtemburg, not an uneducated person could be found. We Americans have vaunted our superior education, but some seventeen per cent of our population seventeen per cent of our population mre illiterate. In the years 1883 and 1884, thirty thousand, four hundred and nine books and maps were published in Germany, against only seven thousand, five hundred and sixty-nine in the United States. This shows the superior literary activity of the Germany activity of the Germany activity of the Germany activity is still more metific. mans; and what is still more mortifying to our national pride is, that most of the works published in the United States are stories and romances, while a larger portion of the new German literature is scientific and philos-phical. It is no wonder, therefore, that Germany is not only the arbiter of Europe, but that it is making its inthence felt in every part of the globe. The English merchant has heretotore taken the leading position in trade circles in all quarters of the earth, but be is rapidly giving place to his more in-telligent and thoroughly trained Ger-man rival. The expansion of the German power in the way of colonies and commerce is because of the greater mental activity developed by the education of the German people. The German military system would be very unpopular should an attempt be made to naturalize it in the United States, but the training it involved has worked wonders for the German character. The drill and discipline has been an education itself. It has taught the Teuton how to command as well as to aboy; physically, mentally, and morally the German race has been wondertully suproved, not only by its thorough education in letters, but because of the inculcation of solderly virtues due to the discipline of the barand the camp. - Demorest's -Several trees on the Battery, New

York, are not far from a hundred years

What Do the Druggists Say? They know what the people call for and they hear what their patrone say as to whether the medicines they buy work well or not. Martell & Johnson, Rush City, Minn, say, "Brown's Iron Bitters gives entire satisfaction to our customers." Klinkhemmer & Co., Jordan, Minn, say, "We sell more Brown's Iron Bitters than all other Bitters combined." L E. Hackley & Son, Winons, Mion, say, "All our oustomors speak highly of Brown's Iron Bitters." A. O. Whitman, Jackson, Minn, says, "Brown's Iron Bitters is giving good estisfaction to purchasers." These are only a few. We have hundreds more just

FIFTY per cent of their cost is the average price of yachts sold at auc

In the light of late scientific develop-ments none of the old-time prejudice ann, of Decatur; Mu). H. H. McFaddau, of against proprietary medicines has passed away. Mrs. W. H. Wagoner, of Eliza-bethtown, Pa., was one of those who put sonville, Mo ; Llout. P. J. Frederick, Ottawa, aside her prejudices and bought a bottle of Mishler's Herb Bitters for a case of diarrhees and cough that had afflicted her for three years. Though she had but unions was offected according to the letters of] hitle faith the medicine was quick to make its power felt, and in a short time the lady declared berself free from her tur, the next reunion of the Regiment will be tion are-President, Capt. D. H. Hall; Vice ancient enemy. Presidents, Capt. J. F. Harold, Capt. M. F. Kanan, Capt. Wm. F. Turney, with E. T. Loons

GAMBETTA'S great aunt, Mine Secretary. At the close of the meeting on the tirst day a number of letters were read from Caterine Gambetta, has died at Rome at the age of 105.

HAVE used Tongaline, in an obstinate case of neuralgia with success, where quinine, gelsemunum and account had C. H. B. Gile, M. D., Venango, Kan.

PROP. S. S. Mann, the chemist for the Standard Oil Company, died in

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Ir is stated that not over 50 per cent of the children in New York attend school.

Hay Fever.

I can recommend Ely's Cream Balm to all Hay Fever sufferers, it is, in my opin-ton a sure cure. I was allloted for 25 years, and nover before found permanent

Austin Doeson will write an introduction to a fac simile edition of the "Vicar of Wakefield."

Mr. Editor:—Many of your readers may be benefitted by the knowledge of such an excellent remedy as Dr. Jones! Red Olover Tonio, which produces the most favorable results in disorders of the liver, stomach and kidneys, and is a valuable remedy in dyspepsis; also debility arising from malaria or other causes. It arising from malaria or other causes. If is a perfect tonic, appetizer, blood purifier, and a sure cure for ague. Price 50 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. 3

SECRETARY LAMAR is somewhat improved, but is still confined to his home. His Loss was Her Gain.

"Well, medam," said a fashionable physician to a wealthy lady patient, "if you don't like my prescriptions, per-haps you had better try Parker's Tonic BEET 25 cent dinner in the city at Kauss' lunch room, 145 East Prairie St. Oct. 22—dif The Control of the Contr

QUEEN VICTORIA'S private fortule is estimated to be \$80,000,000. Dont' Forget.

George W. Cable will move with his family to Northampton, Mass. this week. Aches and Pains. For all noises and pains, rheumatism, neuralgis, the wind colio in horses, old sores, usual outstrib, diphtheris, and all all-ctions of the throst, lings and kid-neys, use Chapman's King of Cils. Pre-pared only by Dr. H. C. Chapman & Son, Taylorville, Ill. Sold in Decatur by Dr A. J. Stoner and W. C. Armstrong. July 4-dawlyr PROF. O. C. MARSH, of Yale Col lege, is visiting in England. THE best on earth, can truly be said o

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THE Wabash will sell tickets at a los rate to the St. Louis fair on October 3d to 10th inclusive, good to return up to and including the 12th Fare for the round trip, including ticket to the far, \$4 05; without fair ticket, \$3 55. 22 dtd Excursion to Iowa and Nebraska

The Illinois Control will run a Chem Land Excursion to Storm Lake, Cherokeo and Le-Mars, lowa; and Wayne, Pender and Hartington, Neb.; leaving Decaturat 7:40 a. in. Oct. 20. Everybody got roady for the excursion, and apply to the undersigned for Sleeping Car accommodations, not later than Oct. 17. Gen. West, Pass. Agent.

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Exposition on Sept. 8, 10, 14, 17, 21, 21, 25, and Oct. 1, 5, 8, 12, 19 and 22, at \$1 for the round trip, including ticket to the Exposition-tick trip, including ticket to the Exposition—the observed state of sile. The Walmash will soil tickets to the Illinoi State Pair and Inter-State Exposition at the ones, on Sept. 1, 2, 8, 9, 14 to 19 inclusive, 2, 23, 9, 30, Oct. 6, 7, 13 and 14, at \$6.00 for the round trip—tiene's good to the Mendi y to lowing date of sale.

The Crescent Hotel. The management of the Crescent hotel which is now in process of construction at Eureka Springs, Arkansas, give notice that the "Grescent" will not be ready for guests until some time in December. The grand opening will not take place as soon as expected, probably January 1st, 1886 Round trip tickets to Eureka Springs health resort are now on sale at all prin-cipal ticket elices. For further particu-lar information and for illustrated pumph-lets of this famous health resort, call npon or address Geo. Lower, T. L. Ag't 252 N. Water St., Decatur, 1d. 618 dtf

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solding: want to go into other business. For
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STATE OF ILLINOIS, \ 68
Macon County, \ Estate of Jacon Fry, deceased. to Rachel Sipe, Henry Sipe, Amos Fry, Henry Hoath and Catharine Heath. Hoath and Catharine Heath.

You are hereby notified that on Monday, the You are hereby notified that on Monday, the Twelfth day of October, 1835, the administrator of said estate will present to the Country Court of Macon country, at the court house, in the city of Decatur, lilinois, his final report of his acts and doings as such administrator, and sax the Court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said estate, and his administration thereof, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application, if you choose so to do.

(Signed)

LRMURL O. DAVIS, sept28-d2w

Administrator.

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To close out the balance of our medium and fine Cotton, Lisle, and Silk Hose, we offer the following:

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" 5.-Misses' regular made Lisle Thread Hose, extra heavy, with spliced knees, at 35c, worth 75c. " 6.-Ladies' full regular made Balbriggan Hose, all colors, at

with spliced knees, at 25c, worth 50c.

" 7.—Ladies' full regular Pin Stripe Hose, at 20c, worth 25c. " 8.-Ladies' full regular made Pin-head Check Hose, at 30c per

20e, worth 25 and 30c.

pair, worth 45e " 9.-Ladies' full regular made Balbriggan Hose, solid colors, at 35c, worth 50c.

" 10.—Ladies' fine Lisle Thread Hose, all colors, at 39c, worth 60c.

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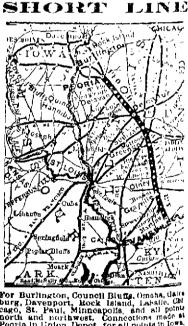
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